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# STRIKERS WILL TRY TO CLOSE WASHERIES

Latest Move Made in the Struggle Between United Mine Workers and Operators.

### THE OPINIONS OF COAL OPERATORS

Mr. Olyphant Believes That Mr. Mit-chell Will Not Be Able to Call Out Scranton Coal company are jointly the Mine Superintendents.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Wilkes-Barre, June 23 .- The correspondent of the Associated Press today sought the individual opinions of independent operators and superintendents on President Mitchell's address to the public. None of the officials seen would permit his name to be used, and there is no one in the region who is authorized to make a statement or give can opinion for the big coal companies. Such official statements or interviews can come only from the presidents of the big companies in New York or Philadelphia,

In the opinion of the officials here the address is "cleverly written" and FULL FORCES WORK IN will appeal to those persons who are not familiar with the conditions in the mining regions. One superintendviews were similar to the ent whose others, said:

"President Mitchell touched on only one of four demands made by his union, and that one was on the question of wages. He did not say anything on the uniform wage scale, the weighing of coal at all mines or the recognition of the union. These are vital points on which the companies are making a strong stand. Regarding his claim that the productive capacity of the mine workers is increasing rather than degets his figures. The statistics for last year have not yet been completed, and the companies have thus far been unable to determine that question. In speaking of the alleged exorbitant freight rates on hard coal, Mr. Mitch- forces, ell failed to state that the cost of loadthan the handling of soft coal.

There is only one kind of soft coal, but nearly a dozen sizes of hard product. It takes a great deal of work and time to sort the sizes and get them

The superintendent went on to say "the assertion that the miner does not get paid for all the coal he mines is not true. The miner is paid for a 2,240 pound ton and he has to send to the surface on an average of 2,700 to 3,000 pounds of coal, slate and other impurities to get the ton of pure coal. Only about ten per cent, of the coal production is paid for by weight, the other ninety per cent, being paid by measure "Attention should be called to the fact that Mr. Mitchell, in speaking of

last year's prosperity in coal mining. quoted only the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western annual report. That company only had an exceptionally good because of peculiar conditions about its mines. The reports of other companies tell an entirely different story to which Mr. Mitchell makes no reference." The superintendent added that Mr

Mitchell's statement that the mine workers receive an average of \$1.42 for a ten hour day, is not a fair one In finding this average, he said, the wages of boys, who make up between 30 and 40 in the statement are included.

### Will Try to Close Washeries.

'The miners' union will make an attempt to shut down the eleven washrics between Pittston and Carbondale hat have resumed operations since the strike was begun. A committee of the local unions at the places where the washerics are located will be appointed and a thorough canvass of the working at these places will be made in the effort to get them to quit work It is said at strike headquarters that most of these men are clerks and other company employes. Several thousand tons of coal, it is said, are taken from the culm banks and sent to market each day.

There were no developments in the bituminous phase of the coal strike today. News from the west as to how the miners there stand is eagerly awaited. There is still much speculation as to what the special national convention will do. One of the district officers here said today he was of the opinion that if the supply of soft coal could be curtailed to a certain point the proposition to call a general strike will not be

### Mr. Olyphant's Opinion.

New York, June 23.—President H. M. Olyphant, of the Delaware and Hudson company, today made the following ment on the statement of President Mitchell of the United Mine Workers of America, issued in reply to that of the erators in which the correspondence leading up to the strike was made pub-

"Mitchell's statement is misleading and unreliable as to facts and figures. If Mitchell proposes to call out the ituminous miners and paralyze the entire industries of the country he will

again with the m en that are on strike now. They will be only too glad to come back and no strike leader will be

able to keep them out."
Mr. Olyphant declined to enter into any detailed denial of the assertions nade by President Mitchell. Thomas P. Fowler, of the New York, Ontario and Western, said: "I have not had time to read Mitchell's statement, Therefore, of course, I have no comment to offer. When I have read it I may have something to say.'

Receiving Applications for Work. It was reported here tonight that the

the Bituminous Miners and Par- making up a roll of names of men who alyze the Industries of the Coun- have applied for work for the purpose of operating one or two collieries withtry-Expects to Operate the D. & in the near future. This cannot be H. Mines with Men Who Are Now confirmed here tonight, but it is known that nearly all the coal companies have on Strike-Mr. Fowler Has Not been taking the names and addresses Read the Statement-Opinion of of all men who apply for employment They have been told they would be sent for when needed. Some of them have been given places about the mine to help engineers, firemen or pump run-

A secret meeting of engineers, firemen and pumprunners was held at Nanticoke today, and the engineers, according to report, decided to go back to work at the Susquehanna Coal company's collieries tomorrow. It is said that 10 per cent, of the firemen and 15 per cent, of the pumpmen will go back with them.

Three or four engineers returned to work at one of the Delaware and Hudson collieries on the west side of the

# POCAHONTAS FIELDS

Tug River Section Still Closed Down-Marching Miners Gain but Few Recruits.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Roanoke, Va., June 23 .- The Norfolk and Western Railway officials say that the number of men at work in the Pocahontas coal fields today exceeded their expectations and that today's output creasing, we do not know where he will equal that of Saturday, which was 300 cars. There is very little change today in the Clinch valley and Thacker fields where it was thought the strikers would make some inroads. These districts are working with practically full

The Tug River field is still closed day being mined there. The marching bands of miners held several meetings yesterday and last night but did not gain many recruits from the men who have been at work. The following notice signed "United Mine Workers of America" has been freely and conspicuously posted at all of the operations

hroughout the fields: "Take notice, you are hereby notified o cease work on and after Saturday, June 21, or abide by the penalty." The sheriffs have not yet seen fit to

call for outside help and there are now no indications that the presence of the militin will be needed

#### PUMP RUNNERS CALLED OUT. Hazleton Men Must Remain Idle Till End of Strike.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Hazleton, Pa., June 23.-The head of the firm having denied in Philadelphia that his engineers, firemen and pump runners at the Sandy Run colliery had een granted the eight-hour day, the mine workers tonight again called out the men and they will be expected to remain away from their posts until the strike is ended.

The mine workers say they entered into an agreement with one of the super cent of the 147,500 persons spoken of perintendents that the men were to work eight hours a day during the coninuance of the strike and permanenty if the miners won their fight and with this understanding the employes who had deserted the engines, fires and pumps were permitted to return to their places.

### YALE COMMENCEMENT.

Exercises Begin with Class Day Ceremonies.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press New Haven, Conn., June 23.-The commencement exercises of Yale university were begun today with the class day ceremonies of the academic and Sheffield scientific departments and the annual exercises of the law school. Beautiful weather prevailed and all the exercises were attended by large crowds.

Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, of Massachusetts, delivered an address to the graduating class of the law school.

### Jane Toppan Declared Insane.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Barnstable, Mass., June 23.-The trial of Jane Toppan, the Lowell, Mass., nurse charged specifically with poisoning Mrs. Mary E. Gibbs at Catamet, Mass., last August, but suspected of being implicated in the mysterious deaths of at least ten other persons, which was begun here this morning, ended this afternoon. The inry found her not guilty by reason of in-sanity, and by order of the court she was committed to the Taunton insane asylum for the rest of her life.

### Murder and Suicide at Middletown.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Middletown, N. Y., June 23 .- Joseph Conkling, a machinist, shot his wife dead today and then punt a bullet through his find that he has taken upon his shoulders a job bigger than he is able to cope with.

"There will be no arbitration, that is certain. We will operate our mines"

"The couple had just had a quarrel and Mrs. Conkling was preparing to leave the house when she was killed. Conkling had been in poor health.

#### KING GIVES DINNER AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE

All of the Sovereigns and Monarchs of the World Represented.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. London, June 23 .- King Edward and Queen Alexandra gave a grand dinner party tonight at Buckingham palace to seventy royal personages, who practically represented the sovereigns of all the monarchies of the world. The list of their majesties' guests was

headed by the czarewich of Russia, who arrived in London this evening, and included an imposing array of princes and princesses and all the members of the British royal families. Dublin, June 23 .- On account of the fear of serious disturbances of the peace on coronation day, the lord mayor of Dublin, T. C. Harrington, has advised the Unionists to jubilate in a manner which will not offend any one; he also urges the Nationalists to extend freedom in the fullest sense to those with whom they differ.

Hand bills have been circulated here which urge the children of Dublin not to attend the coronation entertainment to be given for them.

# ATTEMPT TO **WRECK TRAIN**

An Open Switch Causes Train to Leave Track Near Pittston.

Special to the Scranton Tribune.

Pittston, June 23 .- An attempt to wreck the Erie company's special train which circulates among the collieries here, was made near Hughestown this evening about 7 o'clock. Just what the trouble was, it was impossible to learn, as the deputies prevent any approach to the scene of the trouble. It is said, however, that as the special train of an engine and one car reached Pittston Summit, some one threw open a switch and the engine and car left the track. There is a heavy embankment on the west side of the tracks, and it is reported the train narrowly escaped go-

Information of the occurrence was sent to No. 7 Junction, the company's headquarters here, and two wagons heavily loaded with railroad implements and manned by about 35 deputies, hurried to the scene. The wagons passed up the Main street of this city amid the jeers and hoots of the crowds which lined the curbstones. Each deputy held a Winchester rifle, but were given no occasion to use them. Arriving at the scene of the derailment the deputies were picketed about the scene and kept curiosity seekers and others at a safe distance.

### TORONTO STRIKE ENDED.

A Compromise Arranged, but Company Will Not Recognize Union.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press, Toronto, Ont., June 23,-The strike o the street railway employes was practically ended today by the signing of a compromise in behalf of the employes the company. The compromise provides that if the men decide by ballot to present the scale of 18 cents per hour for the first year of service and 20 cents thereafter, the company will substitute it for the present scale. company will not interfere with the freedom of the employes to organize. but the company declines to give recognition to the union or to receive grievance committee from the union. but any employe who may have a grievance may appeal in person to the general manager.

The offer was to pay from 17 cents to 21 cents per hour, according to the number of years in continuous service. The agreement was accepted by the men.

### MAYOR IS PUGNACIOUS. He Makes Things Lively When Ejected from Police Court.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Zanesville, Ohio, June 23.-Mayor James L. Holden was forcibly ejected from the court of police Judge Reed here today. The mayor asked that an affidavit against a woman charged with intoxication be withdrawn and when the judge refused he insisted that he had the right to withdraw it.

The judge ordered Chief of Police Tracey to eject Mayor Holden from the room. The mayor resisted and Tracey's brother and others went to the chief's assistance. During the melecthe mayor struck the chief on the jaw and the latter landed on the mayor's head with a club. After the mayor had been put out he invited the chief to step out too, but that official declined.

### The Pops Met at Topeka

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Topeka, Kan., June 23.—The Populist state convention will meet in this city tomorrow to nominate candidates for S preme court judges, lieutenant governor, reasurer, superintendent of insurance, attorney general and congressman-at-large. The other places on the state ticket were illed by the Democratic state conventoin a month ago. The Populists are expected to ratify the selections made by the Democrats, then nominate the remainder

### Insurance Swindlers Sentenced.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press Reading, Pa., June 23 .-- N. S. Wer heimer, of New York, and Sylvan Fried-lander, of Newark, N. J., convicted of conspiracy to defraud insurance com-panies out of \$3,000, in connection with he incendiary fire which destroyed the former's shirt waist factory in this city, were sentenced here today. Wertheimer was sent to the Eastern penitentiary for eighteen months and Friedlander for fif-

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Chicago, June 23.—C. E. Miller, president, and Henry Clark Davis, general manager of St. Luke's society were held responsible tonight by the coroner's jury for the fire at the sanitarium which cost eleven lives. The four other employes ar-rested after the fire were released. Miller and Davis were arrested ater the ver-dict.

# **PATTISON IS** IN THE RACE

Ex-Governor Has Aiready Marshalled His Forces

at Erle.

### KERR AND GUTHRIE ARE THE OTHER CANDIDATES

The Three Aspirants Have Established Headquarters in the Reed House on Eve of the Democratic Convention-No Avowed Candidates for Lieutenant Governor or Secretary of Internal Affairs-The Philadelphia Delegation Will Bring Along a Contest.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Erie, Pa., June 23 .- There is every inlication of a large attendance of prominent Democrats at Wednesday's Democratic state convention for the nomination of candidates for governor, lieutenant-governor and secretary of internal affairs. Many of the party leaders have already reached here and by tomorrow night it is expected that most of the delegates will have arrived and all details will have been arranged for the convention. The state executive committee will meet at noon tomorrow to receive the temporary roll of delegates prepared by State Chairman William T. Creasy and select the temporary officers.

The only place on the state ticket for which there is a contest is governor, the aspirants being ex-Governor Robert E. Pattison, of Philadelphia, who has twice been elected to that office; ex-Congressman James Kerr, of Clearfield, the choice of the anti-Pattison delegates, and G. W. Guthrie, of Pittsburg, who is backed by the thirteen delegates from Allegheny county. These three aspirants arrived here during the day and established rival headquarters almost adjoining each other in the Reed house There are no avowed candldates for lieutenant governor and secretary of internal affairs.

Frank J. Fitzsimmons, of Scranton, will present Pattison's name; Charles A. Fagan, of Pittston, will do the honors for Mr. Guthrie and ex-Judge James Gay Gordon, of Philadelphia, will probably make the principal speech

Robert E. Wright, of Allentown, will be permanent chairman and one of the party with being a sort of prodigal son delegates from western Pennsylvania, and invited it to give up its diet of husks delegates from western Pennsylvania, probably John B. Head, of Greensburg, will be temporary chairman.

The Pennsylvania Tax Reform league will have a conference here tomorrow night, with a view of getting a radical tax counlization plank in the platform. W. W. Bailey, of the Johnstown Democrat, is here in the interest of the movement and tomorrow the league from Philadelphia, Pittsburg and other parts of the state will be on the ground. Mr. Bailey said tonight that the league was urging him for the nomination for governor for the purpose of directing attention to its efforts to secure a tax plank in the plat-

form. The Philadelphia delegation is seeduled to reach here tomorrow morning in a special train, and during the day a caucus will be held to formulate a plan of action in the convention. Leaders of this delegation claim they are entitled to 102 delegates, but they have waived the right to 42 and elected sixty in spite of the instruction of Chairman Creasy that Philadelphia is entitleed to only 29 delegates. This is one of the important questions to be decided by the convention, and its action will have an important bearing

#### on the contest for governor. Philadelphians Oppose Pattison.

The Philadelphia delegates are beieved to be opposed to Pattison, and f the convention seats the entire sixty, opposition to the former believe they can prevent his nomination. Attempt is being made by friends of both Patison and Kerr to induce Guthrie to withdraw as a candidate for governor and accept the nomination for second place on the ticket. Mr. Guthrie said tonight that he would not accept the nomination for lieutenant governor under any circumstances, and that the Allegheny delegates would not consent his withdrawal.

National Committeeman James M luffey reached here tonight from Pittsburg, and is staying with Chairman Creasy at the Reed house. It is conceded that Colonel Guffey holds the balance of power in the convention and that its action on the Philadelphia question and the selection of a ticket will be guided largely by his advice. He declined to commit himself on either proposition, although it is thought will make some declaration before the convention assembles.

Ex-Judge Gordon has been substituted for Thomas D. Pearce, of the Seventh Philadelphia district, and it is expected he will lead the fight on the floor of the convention for the admission of the sixty delegates.

The convention meets at noon on Wednesday in the Park Opera house, and the calculations are that it will complete its work in one session. After the nomination for governor has been made it is expected that the candidates for the other two offices will be hosen by acclamation.

Erie's business houses and public buildings are gally decorated in honor of the visiting Democrats and everything possible is being done by the local committee for the entertainment of the visitors. Each delegate will be provided with a free ticket to a trip across

and reception committee and escorted to its headquarters.

> Mr. Kerr's Statement. At midnight Mr. Kerr issued the folwing formal statement:

My friends in Clearfield county, last week presented my name as a candidate for governor. This was done without any effort or solicitation on my part. Until now I have refrained from making any statement upon the subject. Since then, however, I have carefully consid-ered the question and endeavored to impartially learn, as far as possible, the sentiments of those who have the best interests of the party at heart. As a re-suit I have determined to acquiesce in the wishes of my constituents and become their candidate for the nomination for

My reasons for so deciding are that from information received, I believe there is hopeful promise of Democratic success in November if the convention presents platform and candidates that will appear to the reform voters of the state and clearly raise the use of self government as against bossism. That issue in my judgment must subordinate all othe party questions and upon that issue I shall enter the contest for nomination. My candidacy is non-factional and non

I have no personal or ulterior views in entering the field and desire only to give whatever service I can to the promotion of the cause of good government itself to me is that I should stand as

candidate to a finish.

The convention should be left to decide the nomination without constraint or domination from outside influences. With its free choice I shall be entirely satisfied.

## **BRYAN SCORES** CLEVELAND

The Absence of the Boy Orator from the Tammany Dinner Is Explained.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Lincoln, Neb., June 23.-The absence of W. J. Bryan from the Democratic harmony dinner at New York is pretty well explained by a statement given PATERSON STRIKE out by Mr. Bryan this evening, commenting on the dinner. At the outset Mr. Bryan says there is no such thing

President Cleveland is concerned. He

The banquet given on the evening of June 19 by the Tilden club of New York city was advertised as a "harmony meeting." but it turned out to be what migh have been expected of such a gathering. an ovation to the chief guest, former Democrat Grover Cleveland. There can be no such thing as harmony between men like him and those who believe in Democratic principles, and he is frank enough 'middle ground" upon which to gather together discordant elements. He boldly called upon the members of the party to abandon their convictions and accept the construction which he placed on Demo-cratic principles. He even taunted the

and return to its father's house. He spoke of his "retirement from political activity" and said: "Perhaps there are those who would define my position as Against this I shall not enter a protest It is sufficient for me in either case that I have followed on the matters of differences within our party, the teachings and counsel of the great Democrat, in whose name party peace and harmony are to night invoked. No confession of party sin should, therefore, be expected of me. I have none to make; nor do I crave po

He not only boasted of his course, but put his brand upon those who sat at meat with him. Having asserted that his Democratic faith compelled him to leave the resulted in his banishment). lescribed the banqueters as sharing in

that faith. He is not only defiant, but he insists that party success can be secured only by an open and avowed return to his ideas Harmony is to be secured not by the suppression of differences but by the elimnation of those who differ from him.

Mr. Bryan says he will print in his paper Mr. Cleveland's speech, "to show that the re-organizers do not want harmony, but control, and that their control means the abandonment of the party's position and a return to the politics and practices of Mr. Cleveland's econd administration." He continues:

He (Cleveland) secured his nomination n 1892 by a secret bargain with the finanders; his committee collected from the orporations and spent the largest paign fund the party ever had; he filled his cabinet with corporation agents and placed railroad attorneys on the United States bench, to look after the interests of their former clients. He turned the treasury over to a Wall street syndicate and the financial member of his officia amily went from Washington to become the private attorney of the man who forced (?) the treasury department to sell him government bonds at 105 and then resold them at 117. He tried to preven He refused to sign the only tariff reform measure passed since the war, and while thundering against the trusts in his mesages,did even less than Knox has done to nterfere with their high-handed methods His administration, instead of being fountain of Democracy, sending forth pure and refreshing streams, became a nant pool from whose waters foul val 's arose-poisonous to those who lingered near.

Having debauched his party, he was offended by its effort to reform and gave comfort to the enemy. Virginius killed his daughter to save her chastity: Cieve land stabbed his party to prevent its re-

turn to the paths of virtue.

And now, still gloating over his political crimes, he invites the party to return to him and apologize for the contempt which it has expressed for him. Will it? Not un-til the principles of Jefferson are forgotinspire.

If we are to have reform Cleveland himself should accept the presidential nomination; it would be due him; his reinstatement would be poetle justice to him and retribution to those whose Dem-ocratic conscience revolted against his un-Democratic conduct. Of course, he would get no Democratic votes, but being closes to plutocracy than any Republican likely to be nominated, he might divide the enemy, and even Democrats would have the little consolation which would come from receiving their disappointment in

advance. ed with a free ticket to a trip across the lake tomorrow in the splendid steamers and every delegation is met at the station on its arrival by a band from all present. One of the number, a

# NO CUBAN TREATY AT THIS SESSION

relative, waited until after the others had retired, and then accosted the debtor: "Of course, I promised with the rest to extend the time, but you are going to make me a preferred creditor, are you not?" "Yes," replied the debtor, "I'll make you a preferred creditor. I'll tell you now that you are not going to get anything; the rest won't find it out for a

Mr. Cleveland's nomination would have this advantage over the nomination of any other reorganizer; he would make the Democrats preferred creditors and tell them that they would not be benefited by his administration.

Mr. Cleveland's speech should be read

in full. It answers a useful purpose, it outlines the plan of campaign decided upon by the plutocratic elements, for which the reorganizers stand. Tariff reform is to be made the chief issue, and the men who voted for McKinley, the a sham battle with their companion of 1896, while the financiers make the dollar redeemable in gold and fasten upon the country an asset currency and a branch bank system. Trusts are to be denounced in sonorous terms, while the campaign managers mortgage the party to the trusts magnates in return for campaign funds. Sometimes imperialism will be denounced, as in Mr. Hopkins' Illinois convention; sometimes ignored, as in Mr. Cleveland's speech; but whether denounced or ignored, the secret and silent power than can compel submission to the Democrats of the financiers and to the

Democrats of the trust magnates, can compel submission to the Democrats of the exploiters and the representatives of The fight is, on between a Democracy that means Democracy, and a Cleveland-ism which means plutocracy. Every speech made by Mr. Cleveland shows more clear the odiousness of the policies for which he stands. We have to fear from those, who like Mr. Hill. indorse Mr. Cleveland's views, but conceal their

# **NEAR THE FINISH**

real purpose in ambiguous language.

as Democratic harmony where forme Executive Committee of Dyers' and Helpers' Union Authorized to Make Best Terms Possible.

> By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Paterson, N. J., June 23 .- At a meeting of the striking dyers' helpers today he executive committee of the Dyers Helpers' Union was given power to end the strike on the best terms that could be procured if it could obtain a conference with the employers.

Heretofore the men have insisted that their demands should be complied with to the letter and the new attitude assumed by them, it is believed, will end

### RIFLE RANGE CAVES IN.

Three Men Are Crushed to Death at Sea Girt.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press Seagirt, N. J., June 23 .- The partially completed rifle range caved in at 6 o'clock today, catching three men who tried to escape between the toppling front walls and the rear wall, crushing them to death instantly.

General Bird W. Spencer, the inspec tor general of rifle practice of New Jersey, and his assistant, Lieutenant Colonel Richard B. Reading, who had only the moment before stopped to talk to the men while on inspection of th work had most miraculous escapes from the same fate. The men killed were Anson Hale, John B. Marsh and Jacob Schibley, residents of Manas-

quan, N. J. All three are married. Hale leaves

children. Last winter the legislature approprimaster general was put in charge of were working. Colonel Olcott says the accident was caused by the men removing the braces too soon.

### To Keep Court Records in Scranton.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Washington, June 23 .-- In the senate to day bills were passed to change the terms of the United States district court for the Eastern district of Pennsylvania; amend ing an act creating the Middle district o Pennsylvania so as to provide that the records of the court shall be kept at

### Cicely Wins Emperor's Cup.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Island of Heliogoland, Germany, June 23.-The English schooner-yacht owned by Cecil Quentin, who left Dove at noon June 21 in the race to this port arrived here at 6.40 this evening and Vol Au Vent, the sec emperor's cup. ond yacht to reach here, arrived at 7.09

### Steamship Arrivals.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press New York, June 23.—Cleared: Kaiserin Maria Theresia, Plymonth, Cherbourg and Bremen, Gibraltar—Arrived: Lahn, New York. Sailed: Hohenzollern, New York Cherbourg - Sailed: Grosser Kurfurst New York, Arrived: Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse, New York via Plymouth for Bre men and proceeded.

### Sympathy at Summit.

Py Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Summit, N. J., June 23 .- A delegation the Paterson striking silk workers came here and as a result the 750 employes of the Summit sill: mill went out today or a sympathetic strike. There is no dis among the Summit workers and their employers.

## MRS. CONNELL'S CONDITION.

The attending physicians are unable to report any encouraging change in the condition of Mrs. William Connell. Late last night fears for the worst were enter-

# It Has Been Determined That No Reciprocity Arrangement

Shall Be Made.

### MINISTER QUESADA HAS NO POWER TO ACT

The Treaty Must Go to Havana Before It Can Be Submitted to the Senate-Mr. Quay Moves for Discharge of the Committee on Territories-The House Is Warmed Up by a Debate on the Philippines Civil Government Bill.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press.

Washington, June 23 .- It has been determined that no reciprocity treaty with Cuba will be submitted at the present session of congress. It was at irst planned that in the event of the failure of the administration managers in the senate to obtain favorable action on the Cuban sugar bill, a treaty would be drafted at once. That was on the understanding that Senor Quesada, the Cuban minister here, had full powers, and that a treaty could be drawn in Washington entirely. It is said now, however, that such a plan cannot be followed, and that any draft of a treaty must go to Havana and be returned before it can be submitted to the senate. That, of course, cannot be accomplished in the short space of time intervening before adjournment, if the estimates of the leaders that congress

will adjourn by July 4 are correct. No confidence is felt in administration circles as to the ability of the renate managers to cause the ratification of a treaty, even if one is drawn, and while the president may feel called upon to put the question to a test, is vill be rather with the idea of demonstrating his own purpose to do everyhing possible for Cuba, than in any expectation that a two-thirds vote for ratification could be received.

A motion was entered formally in the senate today by Mr. Quay, of Pennsylvania, to discharge the committee on territories from further consideration of what is known as the omnibus terriorial bill-a measure to admit as states the territories of Oklahoma, New Mexico and Arizona. Mr. Quay spoke briefly, but foreibly, in support of his moparties in national convention had pledged themselves to the admission to tatehood of the territories. Mr. Beveridge, of Indiana, chairman of the committee, said the measure had been put over until next session by the comnittee because it was not believed there would be time to consider it properly. No action was taken on the motion.

During the greater part of the session, the unfinished business, the bill ratifying a convention with the Choctaw and Chickasaw Indians was under discussion. It was not disposed of.

### Debate in the House.

Debate on the Philippine civil government bill warmed up in the house today and henceforth promises to be of a much livelier character. The increased interest is due to the injection into the debate of a comparison of the cruelties charged to have been practiced in the Philippines with those which occurred a family of eight and Schibley two during the civil war. The subject has been lightly touched upon once or twice before, but attracted little attenated money to rebuild in concrete the tion until Mr. Grosvenor (Ohio) today butts of the rifle range. The quarter- revived the memory of the extremities to which Grant and Jackson were put the work. It had been completed with during the rebellion. This was followed the exception of the frame work in late in the day by a speech from Mr. the 600-yard pit. It was here the men Mahon (Penna.) in which he paraded the horrors of Andersonville and Libby prisons. He predicted that in the coming elections the American people would stand by the "boys in blue."

Mr. Grosvenor, in his speech, also defended the rules of the house against he criticism passed upon them and paid a high tribute to Speaker Henderson's impartiality.

Mr. De Armond (Missouri), spoke at onsiderable length in opposition to the administration's Philippine policy. The other speakers today were Mr. Olmsted (Penna.), Williams (Illinois), Corliss (Michigan), and W. W. Kitchin (North Carolina).

### Deadlock Unbroken.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Susquehanna, Pa., June 23.—The Republican senatorial conferees of the Twentysith district after a recess of several weeks met here again today. Several ballots were taken without breaking the protracted deadlock and the conference then adjourned until tomorrow.

### Clevelands at Buzzard's Bay.

By Exclusive Wire from The Associated Press. Princeton, N. J., June 23.—Former President and Mrs. Cleveland left Princeton this afternoon for Buzzard's Bay, where they will spend the summer.

### YESTERDAY'S WEATHER. 7

Local data for June 23, 1902: Highest temperature .......... 63 degrees Lowest temperature .............. 47 degrees Relative humidity: 

#### +++++++++++++++ WEATHER FORECAST.

Washington, June 38.-Forecast for Tuesday and Wednesday: East-ern Pennsylvania-Fair and warm-tr Tuesday and Wednesday; light variable winds.